

DIARY NOTES

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15 April 1954

1. Ed Saunders advises that the proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 1956 will be available for me to see the latter part of next week.

2. I have asked Ed Saunders to reexamine the volume of [REDACTED] cable 25X1A2d2 traffic with a view to insuring that it is kept to a minimum.

3. Went over a Guerrilla Warfare Stockpile Staff Study with Jim Garrison and approved of his coordinating it with other Agency components with a view to submitting it to the Director upon my return from leave.

4. Garrison reports that he will have a moving schedule ready for me to approve when I return from leave on the 26th.

5. Conducted a meeting of representatives of all Agency components in an attempt to agree on an Agency policy to comply with Public Law 102, which requires that employees reduce their leave in excess of 30 days for departmental employees and 45 days for overseas employees within a reasonable number of years. We agreed on all points except one. We were disagreed as to whether our policy should be written based on the law as it now stands or whether to defer consideration of eliminating leave in excess of 30 days but not in excess of 60 days until we know whether the Congress will enact new leave legislation this year. H

6. Held weekly DD/A Staff Meeting. (See minutes)

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7. Interviewed Mr. [REDACTED] and advised him that I was nominating him for an Agency-wide reassignment effort inasmuch as he is now excess to DD/A needs.

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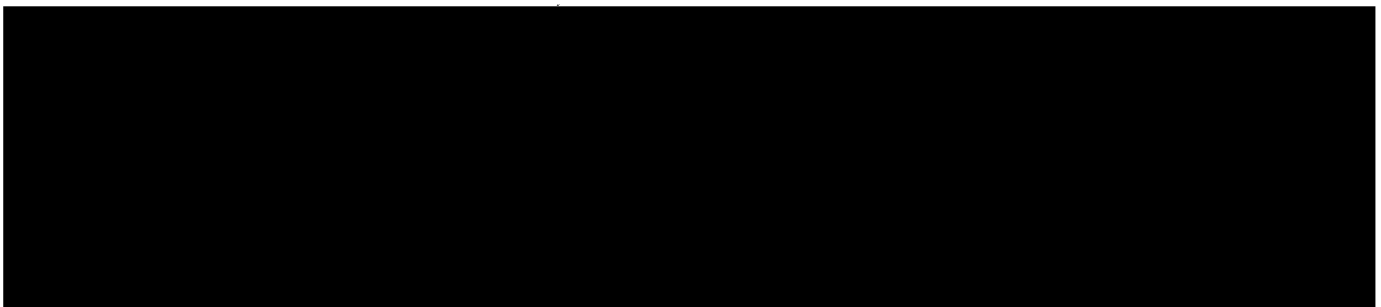
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8. Discussed the possibility of promotion for [REDACTED] with Ed Saunders. Ed thinks [REDACTED] is a good general administrator but does not believe he has had sufficient finance or budget experience to be the Chief of the Finance Division or the Chief of the Budget Division. The only place he could be used at a GS-16 in the Comptroller's Office is that of Assistant Comptroller and Ed feels there are others at GS-15 who would be better qualified. Have passed this on to [REDACTED]

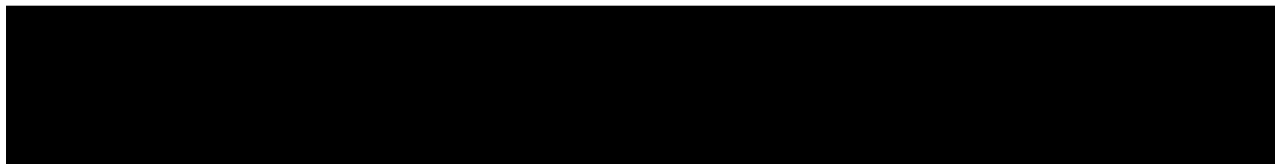
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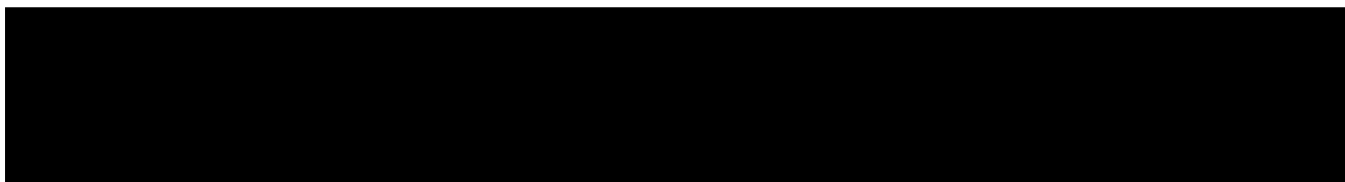
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10. Told Shef Edwards I would approve of a deep cover facility for control intelligence purposes which would provide for the expenditure of not to exceed \$7,000 per year and all facts relating thereto would be kept in his Office and audited without removal. I will clear this with Saunders when I return from leave.

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11. Met with Jim Garrison, [redacted] to discuss 25X1A9a a misunderstanding concerning [redacted] desire to attend the Industrial War College. It was confirmed that he does wish to attend and I will make this a matter of record with the Chairman of the Career Service Board.

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